THE ADVENTURES OF JOSHER BLUFFEM

The Story of the Eminent Explorer

The Eminent Explaner was at home, attired in the negligee of the man egat and drew me within as he shock hands heartily.

"Awfully glad to see you, Mr. Bluffem," he said. "I need you in my

oah, yes," I replied doubtfully, "and what might be your business?" ewell whatever it is, it's my own," he answered with some slight show and fearful mountains rose about me.

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wast I want of you. I did as I was requested and after the Emment Explorer had removed his est and his snoes to make himself paroughly comfortaldy, run his finger among the melde of the soft coth he were in place of a collar, and shiftall his eight to the other side of his fice so he could see me better, he be-

"As I told you before," he said, "I'm running for Mayor. And I expet to win. In fact, I'm certain to am Bat your true politician, you ines, never neglects any apportunities. me you strike me as an op-portunity. ofive been called lots of other mint," I interrupted, "but that's a

He treated my irrelevant remark with silent contempt and partied emocriba his eight for a full minute before

of read that pull you gave Juck lans last week, ' be said at last, How much did he pay you for it! I perused to answer, on professional gands, stating that Luicus has parmark requested that I keep the

"Well, that's all right," said the Eminest Explorer, "But I guess I an afford to do as well as Panini ick. He thinks he's going to beat great on the innyonalty, but I'll show him a thing or two before the enmpign is over. Why, Jack can't run, anyway. His legs are too short.

I glanced at the neither extremities of the Eminent Explorer, which are

set as long as they might be. "Xever you mind about the length daylegs," he grunted. They have been good enough to carry me on my sheatarous trips and I guess they can any me to the City Hall all right. New I'll tell you what I want. I need empaign material and I want you to flean't win on that, it'll be the

ful of the voters. And I sent for you because I want somebody wider it necessary to allow himself to be hammered by facts."

With a sigh of resignation I settled myself to lasten to the sad, sweet

Cocking his feet gracefully on the keyboard of the plane, he began. "I was born when I was very young,—quite a child in fact. I'll not tell you when that was, for you might publish the date and spoil my chauses with the hides-you know I am still single, having all my life been too popular to get married. I always hated to think of the pain my marriage would give the

"As you may have sormised, I grew up, honest though poor -I am not as poor now as I used to be. When I was still a young buy a banker saw is poor now as I used to be. When I was still a young boy a banker saw I'll leave it to the long suffering public as to whether or not I have obeyed pleased as a wet hen.

The injunction of Our Next Mayor maybe—Charlie Hustace.

SIDELIGHTS

apparent economy that he took me into the bank. I started at the top and gradually worked down until, when I finally retired a short time ago, there appeared a good chance of my becoming janitor if I would only stay long KANHU HAS VERY enough.

"But I refused to stay, for I still had my lifework to do, and besides, I wanted to be mayor. So I resigned and gave Abe Lewis a chance to earn an honest living. Abe used to be a lawyer, you know, but he reformed and went into the bank. He says he can't notice the difference.

"I have always been of an adventurous and roving disposition and it took a good deal of self-restrain for me to stick to the dry routine of business during the years that I was engaged in laying by provision against a rainy day and a fund from which to finance my exploring expeditions. But, remembering my youthful motto of 'upward and onward' and the books I used to read on 'how o be happy though rich, I stuck to it until I was old enough to be allowed once from the little platform, Desha know why Kaniho supports Democrat out at night without a chaperon. Then my restless disposition asserted itself, making his address, Kaniho loudly pro-

"One day, without saying anything to anybody except some of my friends testing and answering, and Chairman didate and still claims to be a Home the fall of the first of the fi glo nace.

The nort me at the door with much cordiality and a fat the unknown. I went toward the east -herause, on account of the sea and my down and appealing to the crowd for inability to swim, I could not go west. At first as I proceeded on my way I order, passed through familiar surroundings. But as I penetrated farther into the Desha praised Kuhio for the record east toward the upper end of Numano avenue, I found myself in a strange and be had mide. He became bitterly per were present. All the speaking was in unexplored country. But I guided myself by my faithful compass and advanced, sonal at times, and was terribly severe. Hawaiian, and there were no interprewithout a quiver of fear until even the sound of the street car bells died out

"I realized that at any moment I sight be attacked by the natives of were constant. He was compared by Trealized that at any moment I soight be attacked by the natives of were constant. He was compared by that strange country or by fierce wild animals, but my courage was high and Desha to a jumping jack, who worked I did not rafter or turn back as a man of less natural bravery would have done, when strings were pulled, and Desha No. I advanced straight into the very heart of the Unknown. I was alone, gave a wonderful stage initiation of except for four or five trusty comrades, but I was without fear.

As I went on, the country became wilder and more foreboiling, the while the crowd bowled. It seemed to mountains higher, and aspect of nature more threatening. But, as I say, I gar Kansho beyond endurance, and ers were garbed, the whole being preodymness. And at last I had my reward. I stood where never had I stood there was another three-cornered shout sended on a very ambitious scale,

"It was a most suspendous specials. I had arrived at the middle of the make Kan ha strong down, world; I stood upon the very pinnage of the wirth. You will not believe it. Desha made a good dowl of a race measural program was a very attractive when I tell you—nobody does—but the earth is as big on the other side as it appeal, folling Hawaiians of what Ka. Teature of the evening, is on this side! "The cast of characters."

his tale of thrilling adventure. "I will not attempt," be said, "to describe my sensations as I stood at the slow, the people of America that the top of the Pali and looked down at the world spread onl at my feet, they bad a Bayarian fit to represent the Benn, a court gentleman, ... Suffice it to say that I was astumbed. I had never supposed that the world is there in congress.

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at least one form as mayor, for, to rell the truth, I need the money. So do to the lest dire and would not betray the last dire and the less many wire. So you may us well congratulate me now.

Then he turned some sarcasm on the loss is a loss in well as the college or

""Off course, Jack Lawas and John Lane and Jim Quinn are all good chaugh for the defeat of Kaniho for the next of a viole quartet. The members of

follows—in their own ways—but they are hardly mayoral material. I am house in the next legislative campaign, the orchestra were as follows: sorry for them, but they can't win. When you tell the story of my life, I The crowd cheered and Kaniho sat and Atherion, Rehards '11, lender; Mr. am save I'll have the job cinched. So do your worst and don't hesitate too glared, while White hangled. It was W. A. Love, the property of the p ong if you are not sure of your facts. Just go ahead and tell a good story, great sport for the andforce and for Lambe '10, William Morgan '11, Harold myway.''

White, but Kaniho booked only as Gent '10, Omsted Alwater, Blakley

city and county officials, I shall throw up my hands, and notwithstanding the Hawaii is highly favored in a great many respects. This week I can not resist fact that I sincerely desire the ambitions of the head of the house to be speaking of the solicitude shown for us by some people on the mainland. gratified, pass the back up to him. He may sent the mayor where he pleases. Knowing that we are rolling in wealth, and that opportunities for investments Dan Logan may discourse and consume his soup and fish courses from any part which would not a reasonable return have long since been exhausted here, pity of the table, and I will care not. Jim Quinn may talk about Irish feasts and for our miserable condition has entered the hearts of the mainlanders. Even dishes and hulas from the head or the foot or the side of the banquet board, as the missionaries of old courageously faced the dangers of the briny deep, and again will I care not. In short, I shall not undertake to look after and, with Bibles, and a code of ready-made laws, and a liberal supply of deed precedence in county affairs, and if my negligence shall result in the total defeat and mortgage blanks, arrived in order to see that souls were saved in an of the ambitions in question, perhaps I shall be happier than should they be orthodox manner, so have modern missionaries been sent amongst us to save

A NEGLECTED OPPORTUNITY.

that my duty has been done.

alssion, and perhaps be forwarded by entertainment of the heads of depart it, and put it in parcels, so flimsy is it that a room fourteen by papers together, and coverings for different kinds of electric wires, and fourteen by fourteen would held it and still have room left for mosquitoes. goloshes, and a variety of other useful articles. Pass out a check, get a beautiis to the order of precedence. Stackable, as the representative of the treasury And still further do they say that not the slightest pilikia would occur to fully engraved certificate and cease your labors. Your declining years are department, would sit to the right of the host, and the ranking mulitary officer us inhabitants of the earth, maybe in this instance it should be spelled with provided for, your family is provided for. The sun and the clouds and the a large "E", should we pass through that self-same tail. Either Kuhio's peon labor of Mexico and its rich soil have, by the single stroke of your pen brasary department comes first. Stackable would engage in conversation on first speech on prohibition, or Link's first breach of the check, been made your slaves, to work consciently for you, and relieve

> But its appearance over College Hills afforded a glorious opportunity which, sad to relate, was wholly and atterly neglected. If ever a dressmaker or dry a few acres of land, and oranges, and olives, and apples, and plums, and berries, goods store had a chance to grow rich, it was by making and advertising a all of the Burbank variety, will ripen in a few months, and immense returns on comet costume. I verily believe we women would have gone miles, and, if your investment will be forwarded you by draft. necessary, pilfered money, to have secured it. "When viewing the heavenly "Do you want the mine to surrender its Monte Cristo-Rockefeller treasures? well dressed," and other like catch phrases judiciously displayed through the [lifenit] advertising columns of the newspapers, would have enught all of us.

> the morning has not even yet been determined. Some of us adopted the kimono listen, will so consince you. as correct, but the mornings have been wouldy, and electric lights and men. The capital and resources of these companies? Head the pamphlets and

The only approach there appeared to be to unanimity was that no glad into the same line " ? ags should be were. If you wore a tailer made gown on any of your investigating tours, you were promptly murked down by the test of us as not as these good tidings. Invest and get rich, neing stylish. If you were stockings, you were promptly marked down by the rest of us as being overdressed. If you wore a corset, and the time taken to adjust it didn't make you miss an inspection of the top heavy star, you were promptly marked down by us as dowdy.

Of course, as to the men, they are privileged characters, concerning whom eriticism is strictly probabited. They were entitled to, and did, wear what any to the faculty and E. C. Vangine. it was pajamas, sometimes it wasn't. Sometimes it was numerous oftentimes it pupils at the Komelameka Schools, wasn't. Always, however, scanty or profuse, buly him or purple, loose flowing program 1 (beor right fitting, estantationale displayed under the electric lights or modestly omegaled behind an algorobic tree, the costline was good form.

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in his comments on both Kaniho and lations, the andience being almost ex-McCandioss. Kantho's Interruptions clusively Hawaiian. the moreons of that interesting toy. (ling mutch, with the chairman trying to Miss Ruth South directed the sing-

his had done to faster respect for their The cast of characters was as ful-The carrator pansed in elegacy) whose for several missive before resuming trace in Washington, and advising those lower present to see to it that they continued Duke Frederick, usurping duke

and the best man wires. So you many as well congratulate me now.

"But, as I rold you at the start, I want you to write the story of my life, so the dear voters will know how great a man they are electing to office. When they realize that I am the most eminent explorer in the world, I am with all the force of his far-famed grow. Does Taylor, Eva Focke, William that the most eminent explorer in the world, I am with all the force of his far-famed grow. Does Taylor, Eva Focke, William that the most eminent explorer in the world, I am with all the force of his far-famed grow. Does Taylor, Eva Focke, William that the most eminent explorer in the world, I am with all the force of his far-famed grow.

"Don't think that I won't answer Taylor '11.

you," he kept shouting. Several Hawaiians in the rear of the crowd yelled "Pololei Kaniho," Oily Bill smiled and put a by more salt in Kaniho's open sores. He read him out of the Home Rule party and smiled some more when Kaniho velled his protestations.

The Cannon Ball has been in politics all his life, but last night was the liveliest night be ever had. He will be heard from next Saturday in answer to his critics. The Home Rulers want to be "shown." They want to

The growd was a very large one, at least twice as large as that of last Saturday evening. Over two thousand

MERRY COMEDY ON GREENSWARD

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ing of the glee club and the entire

. Willard Grace '11. Reynold McGrew

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Kelinia lungs, White led three cheers lend Alons and Omsted Atwater render

McStocker, Cyril Damon '11, Doris

successful. As long as I have seen to it that the cook has done his duty, and our pocketbooks. The Bible is supplanted by a book of statistics, upon which there is enough to eat and enough to drink and enough to smoke, I will feel it is claimed more reliance can be placed than upon those contained in the holy book. The code of laws is replaced by a set of by laws of some corporation. Deeds and mortgages have been discarded as unnecessary.

Rubber? The best thing on earth. Mexico was made by the Almighty They do say that if you could detach the tail of the comet, and hog-lie for the express purpose of providing automobile tires, and bands for holding you from the sentence so justly pronounced against your ancestor Adam.

Fruit is grown in California, according to rumor and advertisements. Buy

visitor, wear one of our comet costumes," "Mr. Halley likes to see women | Sign a check, and gold will forthwith become as plentiful as beer at a German

In short, if your money only gathers in a modest eight or ten per cent, here, But no edict was handed down, and the proper style for four o'clock in you are foolish, and the missionaries, should you have time and patience to

numerous, with results not to be mentioned, save that it was clearly demon von will find out. There can no longer be any doubt about it, "What will to kill off all kinds of posts, would be represented by Mr. Wilcox, and the strated that the Jap costume is a mighty good one to wear in the house. A lie the paid up capital according to the next prospectus?" asked the secretary General would thereby gain, sitting next to Wilson's representative, much few of us tried to establish the bath robe as the only proper attire to don, of the Angla Bengalce Disinterested Loan and Life Insurance Company, of the But when the wind didn't blow the graceful outlines of our figures could not President, in the book which Dickens himself considered his best creation. from him would be Raymond Brown, of the department of commerce and labor, be seen, and when it did, the words "Martin Chazglewit." And Montagne Tigg, the head of the concern, promptly replied, "A figure of two, and as many oughts after it as the printer can get

So question not the stability of the missionary corporations, bringing unto

COMPLIMENT CONCERT

arranging a carcert which will be giv to Dry Those Tears. Del Riego The following artists will assist, the

Offertoller Sidney Hoben,

Mrs. Allan White

O. Love Divine Mrs. Stephon Norton Links

The Rosary Nev Kamehaneha Girls' Glee Clab. Mrs. Stephen Norton Bolo.

Sydney Hoben.

Hawaii Newcomb Kasuelnouche Boys and Guts. Miss Lathrop at the place.



WHO'S WHO IN HONOLULU.

I dread the day when my husband shall become rich and take up politics. Usually the order I have mentioned is reversed. Men as a rule enter politics. and become rich, rather than become rich and enter politics,

My dread comes from the fact that politicians, in order to remain such, or griduate and become statesmen, must entertain officials. Our husbands pay the bills as a rule, but arrangements are nearly always left to us. The courses provided, the number of servants necessary, and the seating of the guests, we are told, is the task of a good housewife, and one with which the head of the household should not be annoyed.

Should political aspirations run in the direction of a presidential comments in Hawaii, I should have no difficulty whatsoever as to invitations or to the left. There being no representative of the state department here, the his right with Marshal Hendry, who is the ranking efficial of the department creet silence will, it is said, create more disturbance. of justice. Plans for the defense of the Islands, should an invasion of the spanese occur, would be discussed by the army man with Admiral Rees, who would be seated at his left, representing the navy. When Hendry got through discussing opium smuggling with Stackable, he would be able to turn to his right and take up the question of the quick delivery of the mails with Postmaster Pratt, representing the postoffice department. While this interesting discussion was proceeding, the admiral, wearied of claims that the army constituted the bulwark of our liberty, and could stand off an invasion much better than the navy, could turn to his left and discuss social etiquette with Governor Frear, toppesenting the secretary of the Interior. Secretary James Wilson, who for many, many years, as the head of the agricultural department, he sent out seeds and bulletins which give authentic information as to how Taluable information concerning the conduct of his Tantalus ranch. Across telling everybody about the intricacies and technicalities of the Chinese exclution set, and what constitutes contract labor, and why trachoms should be shut of the country, and why there are two doors in the immigration station. At the foot of the table would I be sented, gaining wisdom which it is the privilege of few women to imbilie.

But when the political aspirations led to the entertainment of territorial officials, I certainly would be up a stump. I would, of course, buew where to seat the Governor; anybody would know that. But where to place the attorney-general, and where to place Marston Campbell, and where to place the auditor, and where to place the president of the senate, and where to place The speaker of the house of representatives, and where to pince the supremcorr justices, and where to place the other dignituries, would require so much brain exercise as to necessitate a subsequent rest cure. Uncle Joe Cannon Maintains that the Specifier of the house of representatives outranks socially theretody but the President, and indeed, at times he appears to be somewhat is doubt on that subject. Should I put Holstein to the left or to the right of ar Susband? (Elect Justice Fuller claims that the Supreme Court outranks Werybody but the President, and at times, like Uncle Joe, is likewise in doubt this subject. Shall I when politics become a part of my household, give Hartwell, or Frenz, or Halstein the preference? When the time arrives I Published will trust to the guildess of look, and shake up the names in a har. with their positions weitten on the stip, and govern myself accordingly.

But should success in the political breng necessitate the entertainment of